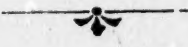




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CANADIAN TRADE PROGRESS.

It is now five or six years since we began in these columns a review of business progress in certain fairly representative towns in Ontario and Quebec. The difficulty at the time in securing reliable data compelled us to abandon the idea. We, however, felt that it should not be wholly given up, and now that a better opportunity offers, we resume the work.

The object is to show what progress the different larger towns and villages have made during the ten years just expired and also during the period back to Confederation. For that purpose we shall endeavor to institute a series of comparisons compiled from reliable sources, giving the population, the number of persons engaged in trade and manufacture, the amount of capital invested, and the principal successful survivals during the decade, furnishing simply a picture of the condition of trade and traders in the years 1868, 1884 and 1894 respectively. The two early

dates mark important epochs in the history of Canada, 1868 being the first year after Confederation, and 1884 the year when the first through trains began running on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Local influences, and the various causes that make or mar business prosperity, will be taken due account of. It will, of course, be borne in mind that in many cases there is less capital required to-day than in former times in beginning or conducting any business in which the stock is wholly or mainly imported. The same condition will apply, though in a less degree, to goods of domestic manufacture. Prices of most commodities have been greatly reduced during the periods under review, and the facility with which repeat orders can be filled calls for the employment of less capital in country stores ; but the different lines will be commented upon as the review progresses. It is hoped that our endeavors will not be in vain, and that the information supplied will be of some interest to our readers. Some half-a-dozen or so of towns or villages chosen at random throughout the Dominion, but begin-

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ning chiefly with those of Ontario, will appear in each issue :—

ACTON, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l ....	.....	1,100	1,700
Bus. hou's	28	50	58
Cap. inv'd \$	115,000	\$ 135,000	\$ 358,000

Among those who have prospered or maintained their own during the early period above mentioned, in Acton, are: C. T. Hill, grocer; Mr. Matthews, grocer; T. Ebbage, planing mill and Messrs. W. H. Storey & Son, glove mf'rs.—In addition to these the following are among those who have been in business continuously since 1884: G. Hinds, jeweller; James Brown, planing mills; Kenney B. ...ots and shoes; L. B. Nelson & Co. ...al merchants; J. B. Pearson, hardv J. Speight & Son, waggon mf'rs.; Storey, Christie & Co. and the Acton ...ning Company.

BERLIN, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l ....	.....	4,800	7,450
Bus. hou's	64	127	200
Cap. inv'd \$	270,000	\$1,095,000	\$1,992,000

Among the business houses of Berlin existing prior to 1868 are: Messrs. J. Y. Shantz & Son, button mf'rs.; the Ls

Breithaupt Leather Co.; John Fennei & Son, hardware; H. Heller, jeweller; Henry Knell, jeweller; the Lang Tanning Co., W. Moore, boots and shoes, etc.; F. Snyder, stoves and tins; Wm. Spiers, grocer, and Wm. Stein & Sons, tailors. In addition to these, the following have been in business since 1884: C. A. Ahrens & Co., man'frs. shoes and slippers; The Anthes Manu'fg Co., furniture specialties; Geo. Rumpel, Berlin Felt Shoe Co., Jos. Bingeman, m'fr. brushes, etc.; Boehmer & Co., drygoods, etc.; Bramm Bros., millers; Brown & Erb m'frs. gloves, etc.; Giller & Bowman, general merchants; Misses M. & L. Glick, millinery; M. Grebenstein, tailor; H. J. Hall, lumber; Hymmen & Russell, hardware, etc.; J. Kaufman, planing mill, etc.; J. F. Knell, knitted goods; Wm. Metcalf, grocer; C. E. Moyer, hardware; J. E. Neville, drugs; Pequegnat Bros., jewellers; J. Peters, gent's furnishings; Randail & Roos, groceries and liquors; Alex. Roy, grocer, etc.; The Simpson Co. man'frs. furniture; Simpson & Son, shoes; Smyth Bros., drygoods; Stuebing Bros., fancy goods and groceries, and Stuebing and Smith, wholesale fancy goods, etc. The figures given show a steady growth in population, business houses, and capital invested, from the time of Confederation to the present. None of the capital invested in the new Electric Railway is given in the above table.

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ALMONTE, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l		2,684	3,200
Bus. h's.	68	107	100
Cap. inv'd \$	198,000	\$ 606,000	\$ 761,000

Of the pioneer merchants of 1868 we notice the following still abreast of the commercial tide : J. Baird & Co., woollens etc. ; John McKinnon, grocer ; John O'Reilly, general merchant ; Geo. Patterson, general merchant ; M. Patterson, drugs ; The Rosamond Woollen Company ; J. H. Wylle & Co., flannel mills, (then in general merchandise.) The following have been in business since 1884 : The Almonte Knitting Co. ; Wm. Burnett & Son, sash and blind factory ; H. H. Cole, general merchant ; John Donaldson, furniture ; P. C. Dowdall, drugs ; James Forgie, fancy goods ; D. Holliday, grocer ; Wm. Hourigan, grocer ; J. Lee, grocer, etc. ; John McDonald, grocer ; Jas. McGill, shoes ; A. McLean, confectioner ; A. Miller, shoes ; R. Needham, carriages ; J. Robertson, general store and grain ; E. W. Smith, jeweller ; Wm. Thoburn, woollen mill ; J. H. Thrall, jeweller ; P. Young, sash and door factory and Young Bros. foundry.

ALLISTON, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l		1,500	2,000
Bus. h's.	9	85	82
Cap. inv'd \$	20,000	\$ 347,000	\$ 398,000

Of the business houses conducted in 1868 none survive. Those doing business since 1884 are : P. D. Kelly & Son, hardware ; J. J. Armstrong, harness ; J. J. Cain, tins ; G. S. Edmunds, jeweller ; Thos. Evans, jeweller ; W. J. Fletcher, mills (prior to 1868) ; G. W. Godard, furniture ; R. Henderson, grocer ; Mrs. E. Hurst general store ; A. Kinsey, furniture ; W. J. Norton, bricks ; Scott & Scott, eggs ; E. Simms, tannery ; M. Thompson, tailor and G. Upton, woollens.

OAKVILLE, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l....	.....	1,710	2,000
Bus. h's..	39	63	78
Cap. inv'd \$	220,000	\$ 260,000	\$ 434,000

Of the houses doing business in 1868 the following are still in existence : J. Barclay & Son, general merchants ; E. H. Gullledge, saddler and shoes ; J. Howse grocer, etc. ; H. Moore, stoves, etc. ; Thos. Patterson, dry goods, etc. ; John Urquhart, drugs, etc. ; G. Zillar, cabinetware. In addition to these, the following have been in business during the past decade : R. C. Balmer, drugs ; C. Belwood, shoes ; W. Busby, jeweller ; C. W. Coote, general merchant ; R. Ferrah, confectioner ; S. B. Ganton, grocer and stationer ; Wm. Joyce, general store ; J. Kelley, hardware ; Mrs. W. R. Lean, fancy goods ; E. Smith, jewel-

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	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l....		900	735
Bus. h's..	25	43	39
Cap. in'vd	\$ 37,000	\$ 108,000	\$ 120,000

None of the business firms of Ailsa Craig in 1868 now exist. Of those who were doing business in '84 the following are still continuing: Alexander Bros. foundry; James Allen, stoves, etc., Mr. Atkinson, cooper; A. Brownley, jewellery; G. Gillies & Son, planing mill; Gunn & Co. flax mill; D. S. McDonald, shoes; McDonald Bros. carriages; Mr. McKay, tailor; J. H. McKay, general store; C. Melville, harness; John Morgan, grocer; F. Rosser, hardware T. Sheppenson, cabinetware and D. A. Stewart, drugs, etc.

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ALEXANDRIA, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population.....		1,200	1,620
Business houses.	25	49	65
Capital invested	\$123,000	\$253,000	\$784,500

Among those doing business in 1868 the following still continue: Duncan A. Mc

Donald, general store; D. D. McPhee & Co., general merchants and J. Simpson, general store. In addition to these the following have been in business since 1884: Angus Kennedy, tanner; Mrs. D. A. Chisholm, general store; D. B. Kennedy, cabinetware; P. Leslie, hardware; D. A. McArthur, general store; R. McDonell, grocer; J. A. McKinnon, tanner; A. D. McPhee, sawmill; Miller & Campbell, foundry and D. Tomb, carding mills.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population..	.....	7,600	9,000
Bus. houses .	106	215	271

Cap. invest. \$432,000 \$1,354,000 \$2,496,000

Among the Brockville merchants of 1868, still doing business are: Willis Coates, wholesale jeweller; The W. H. Comstock Co., Limited, patent medicines, etc.; John Culbert, grocer; Gilmour & Co., wholesale grocers; James Hall & Co., tanning and glove factory; T. J. B. Harding, drugs, etc.; G. G. Hutcheson & Co., dry goods; Lipsett & Co., shoes; Wm. Manly, tailor; A. G. McCready & Sons, tanners; John McMullan, books, etc.; The James Smart Mfg. Co., T. B. Steacy, matches and H. Whitney & Bro., watches. Among those who have been in business since 1884, exclusive of the above, are: Abbott, Grant

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PERTH, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population...		2,460	3,140
Bus. houses..	84	109	105
Cap. invest..	\$300,000	\$605,000	\$690,000

The business houses of Perth in 1868, still continuing are: James Allen, general merchant; N. Andison, grocer; W. G. Butler, hardware; R. W. Croskery, shoes; J. A. Ferrier, saddler; John Hart, books and paints; J. T. Henderson, general merchant; David Hogg, cabinetware; D. Kippen, sash factory; R. Mathewson, general merchant; A. T. McArthur, stoves, etc.; Arthur Meighen & Bros., general merchants; H. M. Shaw, general merchant; J. Sutherland, grocer; R. Thompson, general store and H. B. Wright & Son, men's furnishings. In addition the following have been in business since 1884: J. Bailey, grocer; J. Bower & Son, drugs; Thos. A. Code, knitting mill; F. Davies, grocer; C. & A. Devlin, tanners; M. R. Dodds, flour; G. B. Farmer, shoes; R. Gemmell & Sons, woollen mill; D. Glassop, shoes; R. Graham, grocer, Peter Hope, tinware; J. F. Kellock, drugs; Mrs. E. A. Lester, fancy goods; J. A. McAllister, tailor; J. A. McLaren, distillery; W. A. McLaren, confectionery; W. J. Pink, furniture; Spaulding & Stewart, distillers; H. Taylor, hardware; Miss Wallace, millinery and Warren & McCarthy, hardware.

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CARLETON PLACE, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population..		1,975	4,440
Bus. houses.	29	83	124
Cap. invest.	\$97,500	\$653,000	\$1,254,000

Among the business houses of Carleton Place which have continued uninterrupted since 1868 are: A. Coleman, shoes; Gillies, Sons & Co., woollen mill; McDonald & Brown, man's woollens; W. Patterson, furniture; M. W. Sumner, general merchant and Wm. Taylor, hardware. Besides these the following have been in business since 1884: H. Brown & Sons, flour mills; J. F. Cram, tanner; Findlay Bros., foundry; Chas. Glover, carriages; George Godden, watches; Geo. Graham, grocer; Miss S. Hickson, fancy goods; F. Hollingsworth, general merchant; E. Hutchins, grocer; G. E. Leslie, cabinet maker; R. McDiarmid & Co., general store; S. J. McLaren, furs; B. McNeilly, tanner; Moffat & Co., planing mill; Donald Munroe, grocer and tanner; A. Nichols & Son, planing mills; A. R. G. Peden, grocer; A. Sibett, grocer; Thos. Stevens, grocer and J. Weeks, drygoods.

MADOC, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population..	.....	1,225	1,140
Bus. houses.	36	56	58
Cap. invest.	\$190,000	\$246,000	\$142,000

Among the business houses of Madoc which have continued since Confederation are: M. Bristol, hardware, etc.; Thos. Cross, general merchant; E. D. O'Flynn & Sons, bankers; C. G. Wilson, drugs and general merchant; and A. F. Wood, grain, etc. In addition to these the following have been in business since 1884; D. R. Bowen, grocer, etc.; R. R. Casement & Co., hardware; S. Driscoll, tailor; N. M. Maybee, furniture; W. Mullet, sadler; B. O'Hara, general merchant; G. A. Rollins, hardware and D. W. Wright, grocer.

MORRISBURGH, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population..	.....	2000	1,865
Bus. houses.	60	87	79
Cap. invest..	\$594,000	\$684,000	\$450,000

Among those who have continued in business in Morrisburgh since 1868 are: John Barry & Sons, clothing, etc.; Bradfield & Co., hardware (then general dealers); Mrs. J. C. Chalmers, watches; Gibson & Co., grist mill; G. A. Holt, tinware; R. Lyle, carriages; Thos. McDonald, general merchant; J. I. McKenzie, fanning and saw mills; W. & J. Meikle, general merchants; J. F. Millar & Son, m'f'rs implements and E. Swayne, harness. Among the Morrisburgh merchants who have continued since 1884, in addition to above are: Mrs. J. W. Aikman, confectionery; W. M.

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 produce; A. H. Merkley, planing mill; R.
 G. Nash, machinist; L. F. Sellick, drugs,
 etc. and Smith & Montgomery, tailors.

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The list prepared for this issue treats of a few representative towns in Nova Scotia. It is a pleasing duty to note the steady enterprise of the places mentioned and to find so large a number of pioneer merchants or their sons, who have remained at the helm throughout the stretch of years, intervening since Confederation. Still more gratifying is the knowledge that most of the survivors have steadily added to their financial worth. In reviewing the growth of the population and business enterprise in these localities account must be taken of the natural gradual lapse of such industries as lumbering, mining, etc., where

capital and population are liable to be transferred to newer fields:—

BRIDGEWATER, N.S.

	1868	1884	1895
Population.....		1,000	3,500
Business houses....	32	54	64
Capital invest. \$176,000		\$118,000	\$490,500

Among the business houses of Bridgewater in 1868 still continuing, are: E. D. Davison & Sons, L't'd., lumber, etc.; Robt. Dawson & Sons, general merchants; Thos. T. Keebler, general merchant; J. L. Oxner, general merchant; W. E. Veinot & Co., carriages. In addition the following have been in business since 1884; H. C. Barnaby, grocer, etc.; G. H. Burkett & Co., general store; Miss E. C. Hebb, millinery; J. E. Hills, general merchant; R. A. Logan & Co., dry goods, etc.; H. A. Munro, grocer; B. H. Porter, drugs; James T. Powers & Co., hardware, etc.; Thos. B. Simmonson, general merchant; A. L. Wile, carding mills, etc. and Robt. Winters, general store.

AMHERST, N.S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		2,000	3,781
Business houses....	40	77	115
Capital invest.. \$218,000		\$301,000	\$954,000

Among the lines of business in Amherst in 1868 still abreast of the times are: D. F. Quigley & Co., shoe m'f'rs.; Douglas &

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DARTMOUTH, N.S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		4,358	4,590
Business houses	33	70	95
Capital invest..	\$238,000	\$275,000	\$526,000

Among the Dartmouth firms which have continued uninterruptedly since Confederation are: John Donovan, grocer, etc.; Paul Farrell, grocer; H. B. Gentles, baker; N. Russell & Co., stoves, etc.; Luther Sterns

& Son, drygoods and Edw. M. Walker, grocer. In addition the following have been in business since 1884: A. M. Beck, tailor; Isaac Bell, dry goods; J. L. Bettinson, grocer; John Green, jeweller; Alex. Lloy, grocer; J. B. Maclean, grocer; J. R. Orman, grocer, etc; John Ritchie & Co., tins; J. Simmonds & Co., hardware, etc.; Wm. McV. Smith, harness; Starr Man'f'g Co., skates, etc.; W. H. Stevens, drugs; J. W. Tufts, dry goods and John Wisdom & Son, dry goods, etc.

ANTIGONISH, N.S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		1,500	3,000
Business houses	43	41	73
Capital invest..	\$225,000	\$374,000	\$582,000

The business houses of Antigonish in 1868 still continuing, are: V. Chisholm, saddler; A. M. Cunningham, dry goods; W. E. Cunningham, general merchant; W. R. Cunningham, boots and shoes; A. Kirk & Co., drygoods, etc.; Christopher McDonald, flour, etc.; A. J. McDonald, grocer, etc.; D. McGillivray, general merchant; and C. B. Whidden & Son, flour and groceries. The following have also been in business since 1884: L. C. Archibald, cheese, etc.; Daniel Chisholm, general merchant; J. D. Copeland, drugs; J. R. Helyer, jeweller; McCurdy & Co., general merchants; Allen McDonald, general merchant; Miss I. R.

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LUNENBURG, N.S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		3,500	4,000
Business houses	29	59	100
Capital invested	\$83,000	\$357,000	\$790,000

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Risse, tanner; S. A. Rounsafell, drugs; J. J.
Rudolph & Co., hardware, etc.; and C. L.
Silver, shoes.

ANNAPOLIS, N. S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		800	2,000
Business houses	20	39	56
Capital invested	\$66,000	\$161,000	\$209,000

Among the merchants of Annapolis at the time of Confederation who are still found at the helm, are: Mr. Corbett, wholesale grocer, etc.; Geo. Runciman & Son, general merchants. In addition, the following have been in business since 1884: A. B. Cunningham (estate of) drugs; J. E. Crowe, stoves; C. B. Dargie, carriages; R. L. Hardwick, jeweller; W. McCormack & Son, general merchants; Geo. McLaughlin, drygoods; Jas. Morrow, grocer; R. Malcolm, grocer; Pickels & Mills; general merchants; A. H. Riordan, grocer, etc. and W. J. Shannon, drygoods.

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Population...		1,000	1,500
Bus. houses..	6	53	64
Capital inve'd	\$91,000	\$120,000	\$274,000

Of the business houses of Campbellton in 1868 none survive. Those existing prior to 1884 and continuing through the decade are : Adams & Firth, general merchants ; G. E. Asker, tins ; Connacher & McKendrick, general merchants ; Wm. Glover, general store ; John Henderson, general store ; D. F. Graham, carriages ; E. Levesque, jeweller ; McKenzie & Mowatt, general merchants ; Peter McLean, general store ; Wm. McRae, shoes ; Jas. Menzies, general store ; J. P. Mowatt, general dealer and J. R. Sharp, general store.

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

	1868	1884	1894
Population ..	.....	2,500	3,000
Bus. houses..	23	65	67
Capital inve'd	\$68,000	\$265,000	\$322,000

Among the business houses of Newcastle in 1868, continuing through 1894 are : John Brander, general store ; R. R. Cail, ship broker, etc. ; J. W. Davidson, grocer, etc. ; J. O. Fish, lumber ; Jas. Murray, foundry ; Wm. Park, general dealer ; J. H. Phinney, tins and J. A. Rundle, flour and feed.

In addition the following were in business continuously since prior to 1884: James Brown, general dealer; J. W. Elliot, boots and shoes; John Ferguson, general store; P. Hennessey, general store; Wm. Masson, general store; Donald Morrison, general store; D. & J. Ritchie & Co., lumber; John Robinson, senior, general store; Wm. Robinson, carriages; Geo. Stables, grocer; E. L. Street, drugs, and Mrs. I. Sutherland, drygoods.

FREDERICTON, N. B.

	1868	1884	1894
Population... ..		6,000	6,000
Bus. houses.	99	156	184
Cap. invest.	\$374,000	\$994,000	\$1,254,000

Among the Fredericton business houses which have continued since Confederation are: P. Broderick, grocer; R. Chesnut & Sons, hardware; C. N. Clark, boots and shoes; H. A. Crapley, stationer and printer; Dever Bros., drygoods; J. G. McNally, crockery; J. D. McPherson, sadler; J. S. Neill, hardware; T. G. O'Connor, drygoods; W. H. Quinn, grocer; H. C. Rutter; harness; A. F. Randolph & Sons, wholesale grocers; O. Sharkey, dry goods; I. W. Simmons, tanner; C. H. Thomas & Co., men's furnishings; G. Todd & Son, foundry; G. T. Whelpley, grocer and H. D. White, jeweller. In addition the following who were in business prior to 1884 still continue: H. F. Blair, planing mill; R. Col

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Hurley, shoes; Wm. Jennings, tailor;
Johnston & Co., farm machinery; McFar-
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Murray & Co., stationers, etc.; E. Miller &
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J. Owens, grocer; Samuel Owens, dry-
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Richards, lumber; J. C. Risteen & Co.,
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Tennant, Davies & Co., drygoods; Jas.
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	1868	1884	1894
Population..		1,500	1,500
Bus. houses.	37	51	52
Cap. invest.	\$263,000	\$308,000	\$631,000

Among the Sackville merchants of 1868 still prosperous are: J. R. Ayer, tanner and general dealer; J. L. Black, general dealer; Geo. N. Bulmer & Son, fulling mill; Geo. Campbell, carriages; G. B. Estabrooks & Sons, hotel; Chas. Fawcett, man'f'r stoves; G. E. Ford, general store; A. & W. Ogden, shipping; A. Smith & Son, shoes and M. Wood & Sons; wholesale general dealers. In addition the following have continued since prior to 1884: A. Dixon, drugs, H. R. Fawcett, general store; J. E. Hickey, general store and C. W. Richardson, grocer.

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The article prepared for this issue treats of a few more of the representative towns in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, which continue to show the same steady progress as noted in previous reports of towns in other portions of the Dominion. In reviewing the growth of population and business enterprise in these localities, account must be taken of the natural gradual lapse of such industries as lumbering, mining, etc., where capital and population are liable to be transferred to newer fields:—

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Population		6,000	8,600
Bus. houses ...	46	144	161
Cap. inv'd..	\$406,000	\$870,000	\$1,410,000

Among the business houses of Moncton in 1868, continuing through 1894, are: J. & C. Harris, general merchants; J. A. Humphrey & Son, woollen mills, etc.; P. McSweeney, dry goods, and the Record Foundry & Machine Co., manufacturers stoves, etc. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: E. C. Cole, men's furnishings, etc.; W. Christie, baker; H. Colpetts, boots and shoes; Dominion Cotton Mills Co.; Dunlop & Co., wholesale grocers.; Elliott & Bownness, jewellers; L. Estano, tins; Fairweather Bros., drugs; W. H. Faulkner, clothing, etc.; James Flanagan, dry goods; E. Forbes, dry goods; G. V. Forbes, dry goods, etc.; Alex. Girvan, general dealer; L. Higgins & Co., boots and shoes; J. H. Marks, carriages; H. G. Marr, millinery; Miller Bros., musical instruments, etc.; Moncton Knitting Works; O'Neill & Crue, tanners; Robertson & Givan, groceries and hardware; J. M. Ross, tailor; W. O. Swartz, grocer; H. & G. Seamen, grocers; Robt. Toombs, produce, etc; estate of John Watson, hats and caps; J. W. Whitehead, tailor, and J. & S. Winter, stoves.

NEW GLASGOW, N. S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population...	..	3,000	3,780
Bus. houses..	88	102	134
Capital inv'd..	\$670,000	\$817,000	\$1,795,000

Among the New Glasgow business houses which have continued since Confederation are : Alex. Cameron, grocer, etc.; Cameron Bros., carriages ; A. C. Bell, drugs, groceries, etc.; J. W. Carmichael & Co., tanners, etc. : Fraser Bros., machinists ; Jas. Fraser (Downie) & Sons, flour and feed ; T. G. Fraser, grocer, etc. ; J. F. Grant, dry goods, etc. ; T. Matheson & Co., founders, etc.; McDonald & Cook, boots and shoes ; R. McGregor & Sons, wholesale grocers, and H. L. P. McNeil, boots and shoes. In addition the following have been in business since prior to 1884 : Geo. Carew, drugs ; Angus Chisholm, grocer ; Cumming Bros., furniture ; Douglas & Co., general dealers ; J. F. Doull, grocer, etc. ; F. Drake, mineral waters ; Jas. Eastwood, wholesale jewellery ; A. & J. W. Fraser, saddlers ; Jas. Fraser, hardware ; F. Garrett, furniture ; J. C. Graham, grocer ; A. Grant & Sons, general dealers ; Donald Grant, planing mill ; J. W. Jackson & Co., drugs ; D. McDougall, shoes ; J. W. McDougall, shoes ; McGregor & Co., hardware ; Wm. McIntosh & Co., millinery ; W. P. McNeil & Co., agricultural imple-

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TRURO, N. S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population....	..	3,510	5,120
Bus ^h houses...	54	106	147
Capital inv'd..	\$311,000	\$540,000	\$1,493,000

Among the Truro merchants of 1868 still continuing are: H. L. Atkins, drugs; Blanchard, Bentley & Co., dry goods; Wm. Cumming & Sons, general merchants; John Jamieson, stoves; John Lewis & Sons, manufacturers lasts and pegs; D. McIntosh, tailor; E. E. McNutt, grocer; D. Nelson & Son, general store; J. Nolan, tins; L. R. Rettie & Co., hardware, etc.; J. J. Snook, hardware, etc., and A. J. Walker & Son, hardware, etc. In addition the following have been in business since prior to 1884: W. T. Archibald & Co., general dealers; W. H. Bates, confectioner, etc.; W. H. Beck, tailor; Black & Co., wholesale grocers; John Connor, hats, etc.; Craig & Mahoney, manufacturers hats; R. T. Craig & Co., grocers; Wm. Creelman & Son, commission; J. H. Cros-

cup & Co., dry goods, etc.; Geo. O. Fulton, fancy goods; D. Linton, carriages; W. F. Linton, crockery; W. E. Logan, carriages; James Loughhead, trader; Thos. McKay, flour and feed; T. G. McMullen, lumber; W. N. Mills, jeweller; C. P. Morgan, jeweller; W. F. Odell, drugs; A. H. Smith, jeweller; Spencer, Turner & Logan, manufacturers doors, etc.; C. E. Stanfield, manufacturer knitted goods; Truro Condensed Milk & Canning Co., and Walker & Hansen, hardware.

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We treat in this number of two towns in Western Ontario. A comparison of their progress with that of the more inland towns shows that close proximity to the neighboring Republic has not checked their steady growth either in wealth or population :

ST. THOMAS, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l.....		10,000	10,375
Bus. h's..	68	254	266
Cap. inv'd \$	428,000	\$1,302,000	\$1,678,000

Among the business houses of St. Thomas in 1868 continuing through 1894 are : J. Crocker & Son, leather, etc.; J. Midgely, men's furnishings; Stacey Hard-

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FOREST, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l.....		1,800	2,060
Bus. h's...	18	67	70
Cap. inv'd \$	52,000	\$ 244,000	\$ 506,000

Of the business houses of Forest in 1868, none survive. Among those who have been in business continuously since prior to 1884 are : J. F. Campbell, shoes; J. Edgar, confectioner ; B. Hallock, flour and feed ; Hamilton & Prout, planing mill ; Ironside & English, dry goods ; Jas. Maylor & Son, general dealers ; N. McCahill & Co. flour mill; Mrs. S. Parker, milliner; R. E. Scott, drugs ; W. Scott, tins and hardware; John Shaw, lumber; L. H. Smith & Co., bankers ; G. Van Valkenburg, jeweller; C. Wichmen, tailor, and A. Wren & Co., foundry.

We are reminded by Mr. J. McMahon, Alliston, Ont. whose name has been accidentally omitted from the list, that he has been conducting business in that town for the last 17 years.

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We treat of two fairly representative Ontario towns the present week. It is not to be expected that a few unimportant

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errors may not be discovered in statistics extending over so wide a period, and we have endeavored to under estimate rather than overstate the aggregate wealth of those who have been gradually successful throughout. In a few rare instances, in towns already treated of, misfortunes have temporarily overcome manufacturers, but it is all the more creditable to the circumstances that they have been enabled largely to recover the ground lost.

LINDSAY, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l . . . . .	.....	5,500	6,085
Bus. E's.	81	151	170
Cap. inv'd \$	302,000	\$ 705,000	\$1,106,000

Among the business houses of Lindsay in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: James Connolly, boots and shoes; Dundas, drygoods; Fairweather & Co., hats, furs, etc.; E. Gregory, drugs; Jas. Hamilton, carriages, etc.; H. Holtorf, furniture, etc.; J. Lyons, shoes; M. M. Markham, shoes; McLennan & Co., hardware; S. Perrin, drugs and R. S. Porter, books. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: G. W. Peall, watches; C. S. Blackwell & Co., grocers; Britton Bros., watches; A. Camp-

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ORILLIA, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l		2,910	4,755
Bus. h's.	48	113	165
Cap. inv'd \$	133,000	\$ 480,000	\$ 930,000

Among the business houses of Orillia continuing since Confederation are: J. W. Slaven, drugs; T. Mulcahy, general dealer; W. Thompson, lumber; Geo. Vick, grocer, etc.; S. Wainwright, tanner; David Wallace, tailor and the World Furniture Co. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: Wm. Carss & Co., tailors; Mrs. W. E. Bond, fancy goods; W. Cavanagh, grocer, etc.; G. A. Chase, grain; Herbert Cooke & Co., drugs; R. M. Donnelly, im-

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Main, general dealers; Perry & Alport,
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There is one feature of these statements
which has doubtless not escaped our
readers, namely, that though the popula-
tion has not made as rapid advances as in
more southerly towns, the growth of wealth

has evidently more than maintained its proportion—that there is a greater degree of comfort as compared to the population—which, notwithstanding Goldsmith's oft-quoted couplet, is something of which we have reason to be proud—than is recorded for so-called “more-favored” localities:—

CHATHAM, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population....	.....	8,500	9,055
Bus. houses..	167	278	269
Cap'l inv'd...	\$605,000	\$1,678,000	\$2,235,000

Among the business houses of Chatham in 1868 continuing through 1894 are : Robert Cooper, books ; S. Barfoot, broker, etc. ; Baxter & Reed, grocers ; Wm. Gray & Son, carriages, etc. ; F. Jacques, harness ; Jas. Lamont, grain and produce ; H. Malcolmson, grocer ; Morton & Adam, hardware ; E. C. Kadley, drugs ; Smith & Richardson Co., tailors ; Thos. Stone, dry goods ; and G. E. Young, grocer. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884 : L. Anderson, cooper ; S. Backus, saddler ; Wm. Berhorst, tailor ; N. J. Bogart, grain ; D. Brennan, grocer ; Broderick & Morley tailors ; R. C. Burt, drugs ; J. S. Butler photographer ; M. Campbell, fanning mills Chatham Manufacturing Co., wagons, etc. ; A. Coltart, cabinetware ; J. J. Couzens,

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H. Weaver, grocer; E. & A. Wigzell, con-
fectionery, and W. Wing & Co., bakers.

SARNIA, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population..	.....	5,000	6,700
Bus. houses..	81	134	179
Cap'l inv'd...	\$450,000	\$1,617,000	\$1,570,000

Among the business houses of Sarnia
continuing since Confederation are: W. B.
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stoves, etc.; D. McCart, grocer; McKenzie,

Milne & Co., hardware, etc.; D. McMaster. books, etc.. N. C. Peterson, foundry; T. Symington & Co., dry goods; D. Tremblay, implements, and N. Wanless, grocer, etc. In addition the following have been in business since prior to 1884: David Barr, watches; J. Barron, photographer; Callum & LeSeuer, shoes; J. J. Clements, drugs; C S. Ellis, dry goods; James Higgins, confectionery; J. Johnston, grocer; James Kelly, fruit, etc.; Randall Kenny, grocer; Thos. Kenny & Co., wholesale grocers; Jno. Langan, shoes; Jacob Lawrence & Sons, lumber; James Lockhart, lime; J. S. Longhead & Co., hubs and spokes; J. G. McCrae & Co., coopers; John G. McCrae, stationery; Finlay McGibbon & Sons, lumber; Chas. Morris, feed and seeds; C. Sanders & Son, cabinetware; Wm. Storey, cigars, etc.; J. S. Thom, photographer; D. Turner, jewellery; T. Walker, shoes; Geo. Wanless, grocer; Geo. Wenino, grocer; August Wocker, grocer, & J. F. Wood & Co., wholesale fruit.

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trary they show a large addition in wealth and population, a convincing testimony of the soundness of the faith in the future of these places as expressed by some of the representative inhabitants. Among those to whom Granby owes much of its progress first and foremost is Mr. S. H. C. Miner, best known as the originator and promoter of the Granby Rubber Company. Other local enterprises also attest his business tact and energy, but these have already been referred to in our columns. The population of Granby advanced 50 per cent. for the 10 years prior to 1890, and 30 per cent. from 1890 to 1895. The remarkable growth of this town goes to show what one master mind may accomplish with fairly suitable materials to work upon. The figures speak for themselves :—

* GRANBY.

	1868	1884	1894.
Pop'l.....	.....	1,600	2,000
Bus. h's..	24	50	63
Cap. Inv'd	\$ 92,000	\$ 282,000	\$ 489,000

Among the business houses of Granby in 1868, but one survive, that of Mr. S. H. C. Miner, tanner. In addition

the following have been in business continually since prior to 1894 : R. W. Bradford, general dealer; Joseph Blain, grocer; W. L. Bowker, tannery; Z. Brodeur, tailor, etc.; Granby Rubber Co. L't'd; O. Hebert, shoes; A. Herbert, baker; J. Massie, foundry; Miner Carriage M'f'g. Co.; Neil & Kent, builders; Pare & Frere, general dealers, and Smyth, Mullen & Co., general dealers.

SOREL, QUE.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l.....	.....	5,790	6,675
Bus. h's..	84	124	126
Cap. inv'd	\$530,000	\$806,000	\$1,078,000

Among the business houses of Sorel continuing since Confederation are : D. Finlay & Son, tailors; Bruneau & Sylvester, drugs, etc.; A. Chapdelaine, carriages; A. Gaceau, tins; Leon Leduc, tanner; N. F. Patenaude, foundry; Pontbriand & Frere, machinists; Sincennes, McNaughton Forwarding Co.; C. Villemaire, carriages and J. H. Wright, fancy goods. In addition the following have been in business since prior to 1884 : L. B. A. Falardeau, dry-goods; E. Courchene, tins; Guinard & Son, grocers, etc.; G. Hardy, stationer; J. H. Hunter, drygoods; C. Labelle, grocer, hardware, etc.; R. Lamoreux, implements; A. Lussier, drygoods; Mongeon & Frere, drygoods; Joseph Morency, grocer; C. O.

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The places chosen for treatment this week are the two important cities of St. Hyacinthe and St. Johns, in the Province of Quebec. Both of these are manufacturing centres, and the remarkable progress they show is doubtless largely due to the judicious enterprise of leading manufacturers. The name of Feodor Boas calls for no mention in St. Hyacinthe. His name is as a household word to every citizen, and there is no doubt that a large proportion of the increase shown in the third column—capital invested—subjoined, is due to his public, high spirited enterprise. Mr. Boas is one of the very few manufacturers who decry Protection. The manufactories conducted by him do not appear in the list below, but no one will deny that he has more than made amends during the several years he has been in

business. Our readers will be pleased to note the large number of time-honored prosperous houses in this provincial city.

In St. Johns the drain pipe and earthenware factories and the Corticello Silk Mills, contribute largely to the prosperity of that city. It will, of course, be understood that the capital of the local banks is not included in the subjoined statistics of both places :—

ST. HYACINTHE, QUE.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l		5,300	7,020
Bus. h's..	74	114	180
Cap. inv'd \$	517,000	\$ 677,000	\$1,606,000

Among the business houses of St. Hyacinthe in 1868 continuing through 1894 are : L. Beaudry, watches; S. Bourgeois & Co., general dealers; Olivier, Chalifoux & Son, implements; J. A. & M. Cote, m'frs. shoes; Mrs. M. B. Moison, drygoods; Raymond & Frere, general dealers; F. D. Renaud, confectioner ; T. Robitaille & Co., tailors and E. St. Jacques, drugs. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884; G. L. Bedard, foundry; Bergeron & Co., drygoods; Bernier & Co., grain and flour; F. X. Bertrand, safe m'frg., etc. M. Bousquet flour; E. Brodeur, m'fr. organs; J. Brodeur

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Pop'l.....		4,310	4,775
Bus.h's..	64	119	140
Cap.inv'd	\$ 430,000	\$ 597,000	\$ 950,000

Among the business houses of St. Johns in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: J. & H. Black, bankers, etc.; E. Courville, general merchant; A. W. Dewar, confectionery; Jehn Howie, tins; Langelier & Decelles, wholesale liquors; E. Laplante, general dealer; J. E. Molleur, wax tapers and straw goods, and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, drygoods. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior

to 1884 : E. Arpin, stationer ; Bissett & Donaghy; coal and wood ; F. Boucher, shoes ; Wilfred Brosseau, drygoods ; N. Brovilette, harness ; F. Chaumelle, wines ; C. R. Cousins, produce, flour, etc. ; I. Dion, baker ; H. Foisy, grocer ; G. Fredette, (sr.) lumber ; C. O. Gervais & Bro. general dealers ; R. Goold, grocer ; J. B. Gregoire, cabinetware ; M. L. Hislop, grocer, etc. ; J. Lefebvre, carding mill ; J. A. Lamme, general store ; J. E. McNulty & Co., general dealers ; Wm. McNulty, shoes ; L. Molleur (jr.) real estate ; L. Moreau, grocer, etc. ; E. Morel, tins ; O. Paquin, shoes ; F. Payette, tailor ; Miss Poirier, millinery ; J. H. Racitot, jeweller ; S. Ram say, confectionery ; A. Sabourin, grocer ; E. Macdonald, crockery ; Simard & Godin, feed and fuel ; C. Stefani, general dealer, and Wight & Co., drugs.

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The towns of Goderich and Woodstock, Ont., which we treat of herewith, are both in the centre of large and fertile agricultural districts, and in this respect testify to the prosperity of our farming communities, Neither of these towns shows any remarkable advance in population, especially Goderich, but one can-

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not fail to be struck with the great growth in wealth as shown by the amount of capital invested, as compared with the former dates, respectively in those places. The salt industry has no doubt contributed in no small degree to the prosperity of Goderich, as doubtless also have the manufactures of agricultural implements, furniture, leather, etc.

Woodstock and its vicinity can lay claim to probably one of the most desirable classes of settlers in Canada; and that early influences are a fair index eventually of prosperity is shown by the permanent and substantial character of its manufacturers and merchants. This town has long been a centre of manufactures of furniture, musical instruments, stoves, brooms, etc. We subjoin the usual statistical index :—

GODERICH, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population.....		4,500[Est]	4,840
Business houses	88	125	133
Cap. invested, \$387,000	\$751,000	\$1,021,000	

Among the business houses of Goderich in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: John Butler, stationery; J. T. Acheson, general

dealer; Wm. Acheson, harness; G. N. Davis, tins; Hugh Dunlop, tailor; H. Horton, commission, etc.; Wm. Moss, shoes; P. O'Dea, drygoods, etc.; Samuel Sloane, produce and Alex. Wallace, jeweller. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: Armstrong Bros. & Co., implements, etc.; C. Bates, cooper; John Bates, wag-gons; J. Brophy & Son, furniture; J. Clark & Co., fish; Colborne Bros., general dealers; A. B. Cornell, furniture, etc.; E. Graham, grocer; John Hillier, grocer; W. L. Horton, liquors; Jos. Kidd, salt; Wm. Lee, coal, etc.; A. P. MacLean, furnishings, etc.; R. W. McKenzie, hardware; C. A. Nairn, grocer; C. G. Newton, furnishings; M. Nicholson, dentist; North Amer. Chemical Co., (Ltd.), salt; F. J. Pridham, tailor; J. A. Reid, general dealer; R. Sallows, photographs; F. Smeath, planing mill; F. & A. Smith, tanners; D. C. Strachan, grocers, etc.; Geo. Sutton, grocer, etc.; W. T. Welsh, jeweller and James Wilson, drugs.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population.....		6,300	8,612
Business houses....	119	187	254
Cap. invest. \$705,000	\$1,275,000	\$2,028,000	

Among the business houses of Woodstock in 1868 continuing through 1894 are:

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 Gardner & Rose, carriages, etc.; J. & T.
 Grant, shoes and tannery; Geo. Harward,
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 fancy goods, etc.; W. A. Reid, grocer;
 Thos. Scott & Son, drugs; White & White,
 drugs; John White & Co., drygoods, etc.
 and Mr. Woodrooffe, jewellery. In ad-
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 Bartlett, confectioner, etc.; Geo. Adams,
 contractor; G. Caldbeck, drygoods; J. Cod-
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 Currie, eggs; Davis Bros., paints; J. Fo-
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 grocers; Fury & Thompson, grocers;
 James Holmes, hardware; P. Johnston,
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 Donald, drygoods; McIntosh & Griffith,
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 Newton, tailor; Patrick & Powell, stoves,
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 brooms, etc.; J. W. Scarff, harness; James
 Scott, grocer; David Shedden & Son,
 furniture; Geo. F. Snelgrove, flour, etc.;
 Thomas Organ Co.; Alex. Watson, found-
 ry; Robt. Whitelaw, foundry; W. C.
 Wilson, grocer and the Misses Wood,
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The towns of Barrie and Owen Sound, treated the present week, afford further evidence of the prosperity of our traders and manufacturers, as shown by the comparative statements and the large number of business men who have survived and prospered during the periods named :—

BARRIE, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population.....		4,854	5,550
Bus. houses ...	103	175	171
Cap. inv'd..	\$702,500	\$1,656,500	\$1,932,000

Among the business houses of Barrie in 1868 continuing through 1894 are : Est. Jas. Aderton, brewers; Geo. Ball, builder; Dougall Bros., furniture, etc.; J. Henderson, hardware; Mrs. C. Hinds, provisions; W. Mann, stationery; C. McBride, shoes; J. Moore, shoes; Ra'cliff & Co., tin, etc.; L. S. Sanders, watches, &c.; H. Sewry, foundry and stoves; T. Sidsworth & Son, bakers and confectioners; T. W. Simpson, brewer; G. Somers, wagons, and Mrs. S. Wright, confectioner. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: J. Barr, carriages; J. Beard, cooper; E. Bemrose, harness; J. M. Bothwell, grocer, seedman and shoes; Brown &

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OWEN SOUND, ONT.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l'n.. .. .		4,426	7,497
Bus. h's.. .. .	96	173	214
Cap. inv'd \$	705,000	\$ 805,500	\$1,256,500

Among the business houses of Owen Sound in 1863 continuing through 1894

are: E. W. Bishop, harness; R. P. Butchart & Pro., hardware and stoves; Christie & Agar, stoves and tins; J. Coates, harness; Geo. Corbett & Sons, foundry; James Douglass, tailor; T. B. Dows' y & Sons, wagons; M. Forhan jewelry; Mrs. W. Harrison, grist mill; W. A. Inglis, miller, etc.; W. Kennedy & Sons, foundry; Mrs. J. Miller, fancy goods; Parker & Co., drugs and seeds; G. Price, general agent; J. P. Vick, watches; T. A. Vickers, groceries and shoes, and R. Wightman, drugs. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: H. P. Adair & Co., books, etc.; J. Benner, woollens; R. Breckenridge & Son, furniture; D. Cameron & Co., drugs; S. Connell, musical instruments; A. F. Creighton, furniture; W. J. Creighton, books and stationery; J. J. Douglass, watch cases; T. W. Douglass, men's furnishings; R. J. Doyle, nursery; D. R. Duncan, grocer; Eaton Bros., brewers; J. Fleming & Co., musical instruments; W. A. Grier, grocer, etc.; A. Guttin, tailor; F. Hall, clothing; Miss Hannah, fancy goods; H. B. Harrison, marble; J. Harrison, saw and planing mills; W. K. Ireland & Co., books, etc.; H. Lapan, liquors; Lloyd & Scully, hides, etc.; Maitland, Rixon & Co., saw mill forwarders, etc.; D. McKenzie, carriages; J. McLaughlan & Son, confectioners and bakers; Mrs. D. Melville, dry goods, etc.; Merrill & Carey, shoemakers; E. H. Newman, jewel-

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West, grocer; W. F. Wolfe, dry goods; J.
Wright & Sons, millers and feed store, and
D. Young, sash and door factory.

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The towns treated in this issue are favor-
ably situated in central Ontario. The
progress in population here also is not so
marked as is that of capital invested
which is of an amount to satisfy the most
exacting patriotism:

CAMPBELLFORD ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l		1,700	2,424
Bus. h's..	23	79	94
Cap. inv'd	\$90,500	\$424,500	\$742,000

Among the business houses of Campbell-
ford in 1868 continuing through 1894 are:
R. J. Eley, furniture; Est. J. M. Ferris &
Co., general store, and R. Linton, black-
smith- In addition the following have
been in business continuously since prior
to 1884: W. M. Armstrong, general store;
Barrie Bros., waggon; J Benor, planing
mill: B Carnahan, grocer; Dixon Bros.,

foundry; T. Doak, grocer and restaurant; W. Fogg, furniture; B. M. Frederick, tailor and general store; M. Galvin, liquors; C. S. Gillespie, stoves and tins; A. T. Green, harness; T. J. Horkin, general store; G. E. Mills, shoes; J. M. Nicoll, stationery; Northumberland Paper and Egg Case Co.; F. Peake, agricultural implements; T. S. Porte, jewellery; E. Skitch, waggons; C. Smith, flour mill; Trent Valley Woollen Mill Co., J Waters & Bro., drygoods; and L. G. Young, sewing machines.

TRENTON, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		4,000	4,364
Bus. houses..	43	101	109
Capital inve'd	\$462,500	\$626,000	\$1,280,000

Among the business houses of Trenton continuing through 1894 are: W. H. Austin, real estate; Gilmour & Co., lumber; J. W. Hyde, boots and shoes; C. (Mrs. W. H.) Ireland, grocer; and R. Loughhead, grocer. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: J. M. Arian, baker; G. Auger, grocer and boots and shoes; Barber & Broatch, drygoods; B. M. Billings, grist mill; O. H. Bonter, jewellery; J. Booth, waggons; J. Bryant, shoes; G. Crowe, builder; J. Funnell, jr., coal, hides and wool; T. German, grocer; Graham & Co., drygoods; Haines & Lockett, shoes; A. W. Hawley, drugs; G.

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places we have been treating under this
caption heretofore. The figures and
names subjoined speak for themselves:—

YARMOUTH, N. S.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		3,500	6,089
Business houses	131	154	171
Cap. invest. \$1,484,000	\$2,442,000	\$4,567,500	

Among the business houses of Yar-
mouth in 1868 continuing through 1894
are: L. E. Baker, shipping and coal;
Burrell-Johnson Iron Co. (Ltd.), founders
and machinists; W. Burrell & Co., general
store and shipping; W. Churchill, stoves
and tinware; W. Crosby, general store and
lumber; T. B. Dane & Son, tailors; H.

Eldridge, saddler; T. Guest, jeweller; J. D. Horton, pump and block maker; J. Huestis, furniture, etc.; G. W. Johnston, grist mill; Kinney-Haley Mfg. Co. (Ltd.), sashes, doors, etc.; W. Law & Co., groceries, auction and shipping; S. Lewis & Co., grocers; Lincoln & Williams, tinsmiths; Lovitt & Co., shipping; G. H. Lovitt, shipping; McLaughlin Bros., drygoods; Ray Bros., carriagemakers; A. C. Robbins, shipping; A. F. Stoneman & Co., fish and W. I. merchants; D. Sullivan & Co., tailors and G. S. Taylor, tailor and men's furnishings. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: E. Allen, grocer and victualler; G. F. Allen & Co., coopers; J. Binyag, shipping, etc.; C. E. Brown, capitalist; H. Burrell, jr., grocer; E. B. Cann, men's furnishing goods; H. D. Cann, shipping; H. E. Chute & Co., organs; Cook & Stoneman, drygoods; L. G. Crosby, shipping and commission; S. A. Crowell & Co., hardware and boots and shoes; I. H. Goudey, teas, etc.; G. T. Grant, harness, trunks, etc.; W. B. Horner, confectioner; S. C. Hood, jeweller; H. A. Hulsman, carriages; P. D. Kinney, grocer; W. H. Leonard, tinware; H. & N. B. Lewis, fish and supplies; W. Millen, boots and shoes; Moses & Ross, drygoods; J. Murphy, shipping; Parker, Eakins & Co., wholesale grocers, fish and commission; Pendrigh & Crawford, brass foundry; C. C. Richards &

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WOODSTOCK, N.B.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Population..		3,000	3,000
Bus. houses.	47	103	123
Cap. invest..	\$295,000	\$369,000	\$874,500

Among the business houses of Woodstock in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: H. P. Baird, drugs; P. Gillin, grocer; Hamilton Bros., tinsmiths; H. Hay, drygoods and clothing; J. & R. Lindsay, hardware; B. Lynch, drygoods and groceries; J. Regan, drygoods; Small & Fisher, foundry and B. H. Smith & Son, general store. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: Bailey Bros., boots and shoes; W. B. Belyea, grocer; P. Bradley, drygoods; Mrs. W. D. Camber, millinery; C. B. Churchill, tinsmith; E. J. Clark, general store; Connell Bros., foundry; J. Connor, grocer; H. V. Dalling, jeweller; W. F. Dibblee & Son, hardware; J. D. Dickinson & Son, tanners and boots and shoes; W. H. Everitt, stationery and fancy

goods; L. N. Fletcher, jeweller; Garden Bros., drugs; W. Glen, general store; J. Graham, groceries and provisions; D. A. Grant & Co., carriages; J. Hayden, sawmill; A. Henderson, furniture; W. B. Jewett, jeweller; J. McAfee, tinsmith; J. McCormack, tanner; J. McLaughlin, drygoods; J. C. Millmore, general store; F. Moore & Son, sawmill; H. N. Payson, grocer and butcher; R. B. Porter & Co., drygoods; Saunders Bros., drygoods; Mrs. M. Shaw, millinery; J. E. Slipp, grocer; Union Foundry Co., stoves; C. Van Wart, grocer; G. W. Van Wart, drygoods; J. Van Wart, furniture; C. R. Watson, sewing machines and musical instruments and Woodstock Wood-working Co.

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We have no record of Victoria, B. C., prior to 1884, but there will be few to claim that its progress in the period given will not bear favorable comparison with other places on the Pacific coast. It will be seen that the population has increased nearly four-fold, while the capital invested is about twice and a half what it was ten years ago:—

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VICTORIA, B. C.

	1868	1884	1894
Pop'l		6,364	25,000
Bus. h's.....		258	717
Cap. inv'd.....	\$5,784,000	\$13,207,000	

Among the business houses of Victoria, B. C., continuing since prior to 1884, are : Albion Iron Works Co., Ltd.; R. Baker & Son, flour, feed and produce; J. Boscovitz, furs; A. V. Bossi, grocer, etc.; British Columbia Soap Co., soap; W. G. Cameron, clothing and furnishing goods; D. E. Campbell, drugs; F. Carne, jr., grocer; J. Dassonville, watchmaker; G. & J. Doughty, brushmakers; T. Earle, wholesale grocer; Fell & Co., grocer; T. W. Fletcher, sewing machines, etc.; Gilmore & McCandless, clothing and boots and shoes; W. Grimm, carriages; T. N. Hibben & Co., books, stationery, etc.; D. G. Hooper, boots and shoes; Hudson Bay Co., furs and general store; J. Hutcheson & Co., fancy and dry goods; J. Isaacs, clothing and men's furnishing; W. Jackson & Co., drugs; Jay & Co., seeds; P. T. Johnson & Co., seeds; S. B. Kelly & Co., stoves and tin; Lange & Co., watches and jewelry; Langley & Co., drugs; J. Larman, shoes; S. Leiser & Co., grocers, etc.; R. Lettice, paints, wallpaper, etc.; L. Lewis, stoves and tinware; H. Mansell, boots and shoes; E. B. Marvin & Co., ship chandlers; Marvin & Tilton, hardware; G. H. Maynard, boots and shoes; R. Maynard, boots

and shoes and photos; P. McQuade & Sons, ship chandlers; Moore & Co., drugs; G. Morrison, drugs; J. Mortimer, marble, etc.; Muirhead & Mann, planing mill; F. Norris, saddler, mfr. trunks, etc.; C. Pardoe, gunsmith; W. J. Pendray, mfr. soap; Phillips Bros., soda water; E. J. Prior & Co., Ltd., iron, hardware and agricultural implements; J. M. Read, boots and shoes; C. E. Redfern, jewelry; R. Roberts, tailor; E. J. Salmon & Co., furniture, etc.; Est. H. Saunders, groceries and liquors; Sehl. Hastie-Erskine Furniture Co., Ltd., furniture and crockery; H. Short & Sons, gunsmiths, etc.; T. Shotbolt, drugs; D. Simpson, tailor; G. E. Smith, groceries and liquors; M. R. Smith & Co., bakers and mfrs. biscuits, etc.; D. Spencer, dry goods; Stemmler & Earle, coffee and spices; J. H. Todd & Son, general merchandise; Turner, Beeton & Co., importers dry goods, commission merchants; G. Vienna, fish; M. W. Waitt & Co., musical instruments, R. Ward & Co., commission; Weller Bros., furniture, crockery, etc.; J. Wenger, jeweller; B. Williams & Co., clothing and men's furnishing; J. J. Wilson, bakery; W. & J. Wilson, clothing and men's furnishing; Wm. Wilson & Co., dry goods, and J. Wrigglesworth, grocer.

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JOURNAL OF COMMERCE,

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Although not showing as great a degree of progress as some of the places we have heretofore been treating, the villages of Richmond and Fraserville in the Province of Quebec, are no discredit to the general prosperity. The subjoined figures and names speak for themselves :—

RICHMOND, QUE.

	1868	1884	1894
Population... ..		1,200	2,170
Bus. houses..	22	82	77
Capital inve'd	\$192,000	\$222,000	\$223,000

Among the business houses of Richmond in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: J. Bedard, general store, sawmill, etc., and J. H. Smith, general store. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: C. A. Bangs, tins, etc.; D. F. Bedard & Co., general store; Mrs. Brisbois, milliner; G. Dunton, baker; C. J. Hill, marble; A. J. Hudon, general store; G. Hutton, carriages; L. Jutras, general store; G. Kinch, marble; McMorine Bros., bankrupt stocks; J. Parks, general store; E. J. Pearson, general store; R. Rattray, tins; Scott Bros., foundry, machineshops, etc.; F. Smith, general store and furniture; A. Stewart & Son,

watches; A. Stewart, jeweller; J. C. Sutherland & Co., drugs, and H. P. Wales, general store.

FRASERVILLE, QUE.

	1868.	1884.	1894.
Pop'l.....		2,291	4,175
Bus. h's....	17	55	85
Cap. inv'd	\$222,000	\$287,500	\$462,500

Among the business houses of Fraser-ville in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: Duguay & Dugal, tanners; A. Jarvis, grocer; Pelletier, Fils. & Co., general store, and F. L. Poirier, dry goods, etc. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884: S. P. Bel- lay & Co., groceries and shoes; G. A. Binet, general store; Damiens & Co., general store and liquors; J. Desauriers, general store; N. Dion, tins, flour and produce; W. Fraser, mills; F. Lachance & Fils, builders and sawmill; Miss A. Lebel, milliner, etc.; Michaud & Co., general store; P. Pourde, saddler; J. F. Saindon, general store; F. X. St. Hilaire, watchmaker; D. St. Pierre, general store; E. Savard, carriages, and E. Talbot, general store.

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In reviewing the progress of Canadian trade prosperity the city of Kingston affords a striking example of what energy

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and enterprise can do in this direction. In the past decade the amount of capital invested in that city shows an increase of over \$2,000,000 and the growth of population has been equivalent to 43 per cent. on the figures of 1884. The subjoined facts speak for themselves :—

KINGSTON, ONT.

	1868	1884	1894
Population		14,093	20,000
Business houses	293	436	501
Cap. invest.	\$4,024,000	\$5,195,570	\$7,232,000

Among the business houses of Kingston in 1868 continuing through 1894 are: W. Adams, shoes; W. Allen & Son, shoes; Mrs. Anglin, milliner; W. Bailey & Co., brooms; H. Brame, cabinetmaker; J. Browne & Co., wholesale grocers; Calvin Co., (Ltd.), lumber and shipbuilding; J. Campbell, wood; T. R. Carnovsky, baker; G. Carruthers, grocer; A. Chown & Co., hardware; E. Chown & Son, stoves and tinware; M. Conroy, grocer; J. Davis, shoes; J. Dillon & Son, shoes; M. Dolan, saddler; Drennan & Co., furniture and undertakers; M. Elliot, drover; Fenwick, Hendry & Co., grocers; Ford Bros., leather and wool; J. George, organs; J. Halligan & Co., grocer; J. Henderson & Co., books; S. W. Hobart, drugs; R. M.



Horsey & Co., tins; A. C. Johnston & Bro., jewellers; J. G. King, drugs; C. Livingston & Bro., tailors; R. McCammon, jr., baker; T. W. McCrea, carriages; P. McDermott, furniture; R. McFaul, dry goods; J. McKay, leather and hides; W. R. McRae & Co., grocers; Wm. McRossie, lumber; T. Moore, grocer; J. Muckleston & Co., hardware, snow-plows, etc.; W. Murray, auctioneer; S. Oberndorffer, cigars; V. Ockley & Sons, groceries and glass; G. Offord, shoes; Oldreive & Horn, ship chandlers; W. Pipe, soda water; J. Reid, undertaker and manufacturer chairs; J. Richardson & Son, produce and grain; Rigney & Hickey, groceries and liquors; G. Robertson & Son, grocers; N. E. Runions, grocer; J. Slavin, tailor; Smith Bros., watchmakers; F. W. Spangenburg, watchmaker, Mrs. H. Stratford, grocer; J. H. Sutherland, shoes; Jas. Swift & Co. forwarders and coal; J. Waddell, harness; E. R. Welch & Son, marble; G. M. Wilkinson & Son, groceries and crockery and C. Wright & Son, furs, etc. In addition the following have been in business continuously since prior to 1884; Miss Anderson, milliner; S. Anglin & Co., saw-mill, wood, coal and lumber; W. G. Ashley, men's furnishings and mnfr. shirts; C. L. Bass, jeweller, J. Boyd, baker; Est. of J. Brannigan, grocer; Breck & Booth, coal etc.; Can. Locomotive & Engine Co.; W. Cannon, tailor; J. B. Car-

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ruthers, broker; Carson Bros., grocers; R. J. Carson, grocer, etc.; Mrs. T. Carter, grocer; A. P. Chown, drugs; J. Cockburn, plumber and brazier; J. Corbett, hardware; J. Crawford, grocer; R. Crawford & Co., wood and coal; G. Creeggan, tailor; W. J. Crothers, mnfr. confectionery and biscuits; J. Cunningham, sewing machines; Dick & Son, boots and shoes; T. Farrell, groceries and liquors; W. Fee, drover and butcher; Folger Bros., brokers; J. Franklin, flour and feed; J. Galloway, sr., hats; J. O. Gardiner & Co., biscuits; N. T. Greenwood, confectioner; J. Guild, grocer; A. Gunn & Co., grocers; A. Haas & Co., vinegar; Haines & Lockett, shoes and trunks; J. C. Hardy & Co., dry goods; J. S. Henderfon, grocer; Mrs. C. A. Hickey, grocer; M. Hickey & Co., milliners; Hinds Bros., ginger ale, etc.; J. Hiscock, grocers, fruits, etc.; Kingston Hosiery Co., Ltd.; Kingston Oil and Enamel Cloth Co.; J. Laidlaw & Son, dry goods; Lambert & Walsh, clothiers; J. Latturney, carriages; E. Law, rope, etc.; T. J. Leahy, grocer; A. MacLean, grocer; Macnee & Minnes, dry goods; W. C. Martin, saddlery hardware; T. McAuley, stationer and bookbinder; A. McCormack, liquors; R. J. McDowall, musical instruments; G. A. McGowan, cigars; McKilvey & Birch, tinsmiths and steamfitters; G. Mills & Co., hats; I. Mitchell, jeweller; R. Montgomery, dyer; H. Moore & Co.,

commission and produce; G. Newlands, contractor; F. Nisbet, stationer; Parkhill & Co., produce; N. C. Polson & Co., drugs; Z. Prevost, clothing; Rathbun Co., lumber; J. R. Rattenbury, dry goods; J. Redden & Co., grocers; Richmond & Co., dry goods; Robertson Bros., crockery; C. Robinson, tailor; G. W. Robinson, carriages; J. S. Sands & Son, tailors; J. M. Sherlock, tailor; A. Strachan, hardware; W. Strange, grocer; Stroud Bros., teas; Mrs. J. Thornton, grocer; R. H. Toye, confectioner; J. Tweddell, tailor; H. Wade, drugs; R. Waldron, dry goods; P. Walsh, dry goods; G. M. Weber & Co., pianos; Wood Bros., jewellers and J. M. Woods, fancy goods and notions.

MONTREAL.

	1868	1884	1894
Population	113,200	146,500	240,000
Bus. houses	1,386	3,618	6,624
*Cap. invest.	\$35,000,000	†\$69,000,000	\$120,000 000

The paid-up capital of all the E. with headquarters in Montreal in 1868 was \$17,000,000; in 1884 it was \$30,000,000, and 1894 a total of about \$32,000,000.

*Exclusive of Banks, Gas, City and other Railways, Telegraph, Loan Co's., etc.

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The following table will have some interest in this connection as showing the banking progress of the whole of Canada:

All Can.	Dec. 1868	1884	1894
Circu.	\$8,079,280	\$31,936,000	\$32,370,000
Deposits	29,700,000	92,310,000	182,081,000
Sp. & Dom. Notes			
	9,089,000	18,477,000	23,228,000
Disc'ts	50,632,000	122,110,000	195,836,000

